

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A communication contents certification system for certifying the contents of an electronic mail communicated between party communication terminals and attorney communication terminals through a telecommunication line comprising:

a communication contents certification apparatus having communication contents receiving means for receiving said electronic mail, communication contents storage means for storing the contents of said electronic mail received by said communication contents receiving means, and communication contents transmission means for transmitting said electronic mail having the contents stored by said communication contents storage means;

a first party communication terminal for communicating said electronic mail with said communication contents certification apparatus;

a second party communication terminal for communicating said electronic mail with said communication contents certification apparatus;

a first attorney communication terminal for communicating the electronic mail with said first party by way of said communication contents certification apparatus concerning the contents of said electronic mail communicated

between said first party communication terminal and said second party communication terminal;

a second attorney communication terminal for communicating the electronic mail with said second party by way of said communication contents certification apparatus concerning the contents of said electronic mail communicated between said second party communication terminal and said first party communication terminal; and

charging means for performing charge processing to said first and second parties, and said first and second attorneys, for use of said communication contents certification apparatus.

2. The communication contents certification system as claimed in claim 1, wherein a screen on said first party communication terminal by means of GUI (Graphic User Interface) comprises a party button display section for selecting electronic mail communication with said second party communication terminal and an attorney button display section for selecting electronic mail communication with said first attorney communication terminal, and said first party communication terminal can select any one of said both electronic transmissions by use of an operation device.

3. The communication contents certification system as claimed in claim 1, wherein the contents of said electronic

mail are the information concerning the contract matter between said first party and said second party.

4. The communication contents certification system as claimed in claim 1, wherein said first and second party communication terminals that receive said electronic mail transmit the reception confirmation information for indicating that said electronic mail has been received by electronic mail, said communication contents receiving means further receives said reception confirmation information transmitted from said first and second communication terminals, and said communication contents storage means further stores said reception confirmation information received by said communication contents receiving means.

5. The communication contents certification system as claimed in claim 1, wherein said electronic mail that has been encrypted is transmitted.

6. The communication contents certification system as claimed in claim 1, wherein said communication contents certification apparatus further comprises party identification means for identifying a sender of said transmitted electronic mail.

7. A communication contents certification method for certificating the contents of an electronic mail communicated between party communication terminals and attorney

communication terminals through a telecommunication line wherein:

communication contents certification means that is capable of communication with a first party communication terminal, a second party communication terminal, a first attorney communication terminal, and a second attorney communication terminal by electronic mail and capable of storing the contents of said electronic mail for every communication is used,

1) said electronic mail destined for said first attorney communication terminal transmitted from said first party communication terminal is received by means of said first attorney communication terminal by way of said communication contents certification apparatus,

2) said electronic mail destined for said first party communication terminal transmitted from said first attorney communication terminal is received by means of said first party communication terminal by way of said communication contents certification apparatus,

3) said electronic mail destined for said second party communication terminal transmitted from said first party communication terminal is received by means of said second party communication terminal by way of said communication contents certification apparatus,

4) said electronic mail destined for said second attorney communication terminal transmitted from said second party communication terminal is received by means of said second attorney communication terminal by way of said communication contents certification apparatus, and

5) the electronic mail destined for said first party communication terminal transmitted from said second attorney communication terminal is received by means of said first party communication terminal by way of said communication contents certification apparatus.

8. The communication contents certification method as claimed in claim 7, wherein the contents of said electronic mail are the information concerning the contract matter between said first party and said second party.

9. A computer-readable information recording medium, that is an information recording medium used for a communication contents certification apparatus for certificating the contents of an electronic mail communicated between party communication terminals and attorney communication terminals through a telecommunication line, having a program to perform a function wherein:

1) said electronic mail destined for said first attorney communication terminal transmitted from said first party communication terminal is stored in said communication

contents certification apparatus and also transmitted to said first attorney communication terminal,

2) said electronic mail destined for said first party communication terminal transmitted from said first attorney communication terminal is stored in said communication contents certification apparatus and also transmitted to said first party communication terminal,

3) said electronic mail destined for said second party communication terminal transmitted from said first party communication terminal is stored in said communication contents certification apparatus and also transmitted to said second party communication terminal,

4) said electronic mail destined for said second attorney communication terminal transmitted from said second party communication terminal is stored in said communication contents certification apparatus and also transmitted to said second attorney communication terminal, and

5) the electronic mail destined for said first party communication terminal transmitted from said second attorney communication terminal is stored in said communication contents certification apparatus and also transmitted to said first party communication terminal.